

gagaku

no no no they signal me
by shaking an index talon at me
side to side

no no no
you're not going to make any
money
at your demon writing

and they really whoop it up
they are much happier

than I

I ask myself
nothing

I don't give a
fuck
that's the way it is

the demons of my imagination that I write of
are much happier than I

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so many people ask him
what gagaku is

he tells them
but they soon forget

it is shinto music
he plays it on his phonograph
and he writes poems to it
and to honor it
he titles whatever poems he
writes to it

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